



Act 3: Carmen stops Don José from killing Escamillo.



Act 3: Micæla, frightened, enters the smuggler's den in search of Don José and prays to God to protect her.



Act 3: Escamillo invites Carmen and the gypsies to the bullfight in Seville.



Act 3: The gypsy smugglers bring their contraband to a hidden retreat in the mountains.



Act 3: Micæla is discovered and tells José he should return home to his dying mother. He leaves.



Act 3: Carmen deals the cards to tell her fortune, and the cards again say, "Death!"



Act 3: Escamillo meets up with José in the gypsy hideaway and reveals that he too is in love with Carmen.



Act 4: Carmen takes off the ring José had given her and throws it at him.



Act 4: José demands that Carmen go away with him. Carmen refuses; she now loves Escamillo.



Act 4: In a frenzy of jealousy, José stabs Carmen as the mob pours out of the arena.



Act 4: In front of the bullfight arena, the street vendors hawk their wares as the ceremonial procession of torreadors moves through the street into the arena.



Act 4: Frasquita and Mercedes, two of Carmen's gypsy friends, warn Carmen that José is in the crowd.